GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3877
ANSWERED ON:30.04.2007
RELOCATION OF LIONS FROM GIR TO KUNO- PALPUR SANCTUARY
Deora Shri Milind Murli

Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government of Gujarat has reacted adversely to the recommendations of the Wildlife Institute of India for the relocation of Asiatic lions from Gir to Kuno-Palpur Sanctuary;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the response of the Union Government thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI NAMO NARAIN MEENA)

(a) No, Sir. No communication to that effect has been received from the State Government of Gujarat.

(b) & (c) Does not arise.